Rev. Geo. Tillotson

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Dear Brother,

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Yrs of ult 22d was duly recd. I think I can accomodate you with a loan; & yet make a small investment in ult Worcester R. Road. Dea. Newbury of my church does business with "Davis & Pearmain" of the city. He was in Boston last week, & had conversation with them on ult subject of investment for me. He frequently has Boston funds, & makes them remittances. He writes them to day on business & if to authorize them to buy some stock for me. He will remit to them ult funds, & thus I can save ½ of 1 per cent, wh I should have to pay for a draft.

I think I can raise 500 dolls. for you, on ult conditions you propose. My brother Edward owes me over 300, wh I presume he would be willing to pay, or let me transfer ult note to some one, & raise ult money on it. The security you offer seems ample; if ult sum is annually made over to you on ult condition of paying ult debt. Should you take ult aforesaid sum I probably should not care about ult payment of ult principal for a number of years. My salary is not due, any part of it, except at ult rate of 1000 annually, a little semi annual interest would be a convenience to me. I expect to start on monday next, on a trip of 3 weeks weeks effort, in this State for ult Penn Prints &c &c; & expect to return on tuesday of ult week of yr anniversaries; & rather think I shall then hasten on to Boston. If so, I will see you on ult subject of ult loan.

I expect to see my brother E. next week, & then shall be prepared to let you know certainly as to the matter. I will endeavor to write you on the week of the anniversaries, if I do not come over in person. What I wish in regard to the small funds at my disposal, is, perfect security rather than great interest. I have lately been applied to by the Hon. Wm. Lee to leave my pro-, & take an agency for that cause in Ct. & Eastern N.Y. With no domestic ties to bind me here, & no children to care for, were it not that I am very pleasantly settled (this) among an excellent & dear peo-, I think I wd undertake the work. However in my occasional efforts for the cause this summer, (by a proving appointment of the State Soc-,) I intend to spur up pastors to do their duty on the subject, or somehow make arrangements, so as to dispense with a permanent agent, if possible. Whenever you visit Farmington, just come that way, & make me a visit; & then take the Stage for Hartford.

I am pleased that you are engaged in so great & good a work, & so well sustained by salary. I trust that, with economy, you may be able to lay up something against future contingencies, if your wife.

Yrs very cordially & paternally

G. J. Tillotson.